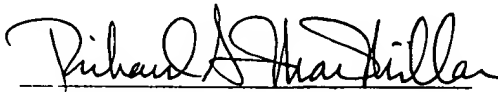


REMARKS

Claim 12 has already been allowed. This Amendment adds a small number of claims to the application that all depend, directly or indirectly, from allowed Claim 12. Therefore, such dependent claims are believed to be in condition for allowance.

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